

Kansas Offender Registration Working Group
Meeting Minutes
September 11, 2013 1:00-2:30 p.m.
Ford County Sheriff's Office – Dodge City, KS

Core Member Attendance:

Organization	Core Member	Present	Absent
Kansas Bureau of Investigation	Jessica Dultmeier	X	
Kansas Bureau of Investigation	Kelly McPherron	X	
Kansas Sheriff's Association			
Butler County Sheriff's Office	Deputy Aaron Waldorf	X	
	Alternate, Deputy Travis Elder		
Douglas County Sheriff's Office	Lieutenant Al Deathe	X	
Ford County Sheriff's Office	George Brown	X	
	Alternate, Candi Carroll		
Harvey County Sheriff's Office	Deputy Jake Westfall	X	
Jackson County Sheriff's Office	Chris Miller		X
Johnson County Sheriff's Office	Sheila Wacker	X	
	Alternate, Sergeant Kristi Lovell		
Saline County Sheriff's Office	Michelle McMillin	X	
	Alternate, Jessica Hall		
Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office	Sergeant Tracy Sprier	X	
	Alternate, Deputy Thomas Delgado		
Shawnee County Sheriff's Office	Captain Michael Kolbek	X	
	Alternates, Deputy Emily Adams and Debra Hoffer		
Wyandotte County Sheriff's Office	Captain Charles Patrick		X
	Alternate, Lieutenant Colonel Bob Gunja		
Kansas Department of Corrections	Beth Esau		X
Kansas Department of Corrections- Juvenile Services	Chris Reece		X
Kansas County and District Attorney's Association			
Kansas State Board of Indigents' Defense Services	Stacey Donovan		X
Kansas District Judges Association or Kansas Office of Judicial Administration	Honorable David A. Ricke, Chief Judge, 13th Judicial District	X	
Kansas Community Corrections			
Kansas Department of Corrections- Parole Services	Desiree Rohr		X

Others in Attendance:

Deputy Travis Elder, Butler County SO
Candi Carroll, Ford County SO
Deputy Emily Adams, Shawnee County SO
Debra Hoffer, Shawnee County SO
Roxi Smothers, Johnson County SO
Bryant Kurth, Edwards County SO
Rob Gant, Seward County SO
Kendal Lothman, Kiowa County SO
Scott King, Pawnee County SO
Troy Briggs, Haskell County SO
John R Fletcher, Russell County SO
Sandy Horton, Kansas Sheriff's Association
Dean Bush, Ford County SO
Vernon Chinn, Pratt County SO

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Bridget Perez, Ford County SO
Anai Razo, Ford County SO
Michael Oliver, Sedgwick County SO
Joel Greene, Sedgwick County SO
Shelia Sawyer-Tyler, Kansas Bureau of Investigation

Minutes of the Meeting:

1. Call to Order: The KORWG meeting was called to order by Sheila Wacker, Chairperson.

2. Introductions: Introductions were made by all in attendance.

3. Election of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson: Elections were deferred until the January 2014 meeting since there must be 12 core members in attendance to vote per the by-laws. As of today's meeting, there had been no nominations for chairperson or vice chairperson. Nominations were solicited again at the meeting. Judge David Ricke offered to be vice chairperson. Jessica Dultmeier nominated Shelia Sawyer-Tyler as chairperson, which was seconded by Sgt Tracy Sprier. Kelly McPherron nominated Judge David Ricke as vice chairperson, which was seconded by Lt Al Deathe. Core members are still needed for Kansas County and District Attorney's Association and Kansas Community Corrections. It was noted that Kansas Community Corrections is a part of Kansas Department of Corrections and would it be appropriate to use Court Services.

Remember to e-mail nominations for Chairperson and Vice Chairperson to Jessica at Jessica.Dultmeier@kbi.state.ks.us no later than January 1, 2014

4. Residency Restriction in the Media: A video clip accompanying the news article, *Non-existent buffer between sex offenders and Kansas schools upsets parents*, by Fox 4 News in Kansas City was played for all in attendance. The clip can be found at <http://fox4kc.com/2013/08/29/non-existent-buffer-between-sex-offenders-and-kansas-schools-upsets-parents/>. There was a discussion about the possibility of residency restrictions being put in place by the Kansas Legislature. It was suggested that a study be conducted to determine the effectiveness of residency restrictions.

Miscellaneous Discussions:

- A question was asked as to if KsORT is still on schedule and the response is yes.
- There was a discussion about courts determining and documenting when an offender is indigent pursuant to K.S.A. 22-4905 (k)(3). Ultimately, it was suggested that there be good communication between the Sheriff's Office and County/District Attorney regarding how to work with indigent offenders.

5. Upcoming Meetings:

January 8, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. to be hosted by the Sedgwick County Sheriff's Office
April 9, 2014 1:00 p.m. to be hosted by Butler County Sheriff's Office

6. Agenda Items for Next Meeting: None provided at the meeting.

Remember to e-mail agenda items to Sheila at Sheila.Wacker@jocogov.org no later than January 1, 2014

7. Adjourn: Meeting was adjourned at 2:30 p.m.